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APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
10/718,987	11/21/2003	Kazuhiko Kato	KASAP042	2722

TITLE OF INVENTION: CYLINDRICAL VIBRATION DAMPING DEVICE

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Attorney Docket No.: KASAP042

Application No.: 10/718,987

Examiner: SCHWARTZ, Christopher P.

Filing Date: November 21, 2003

Group: 3683

Title: CYLINDRICAL VIBRATION DAMPING  
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Respectfully submitted,  
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